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Minutes of the House Standing Committee
on
Education Reform

Thursday, February 1, 2018 9:00 a.m. Room 521 House Office Building

The House Standing Committee on Education Reform was called to order by Representative Tim Kelly, Chair.

The Clerk called the roll; members present were **Representatives Kelly, Hornberger, Crawford, Garcia, Roberts, Alexander, Griffin, Lilly, Noble, Reilly, Zemke, Brinks, Chang, Camilleri, and Sowerby. (15/15)**

The Clerk announced that a quorum was present.

The Chair laid before the committee the minutes of January 25, 2018 as printed.

Representative Garcia moved to adopt the minutes of January 25, 2018, as printed. There being no objection the motion prevailed by unanimous consent of the members present; the minutes were adopted as printed.

The Chair laid before the committee House Bill 4614.

HB 4614 (Miller) Education; teachers; option to renew lapsed provisional education certificate; repeal.

Representative Aaron Miller, the bill sponsor, explained the bill, and introduced Leah Breen, Director of the Office of Professional Preparation Services at the Michigan Department of Education, who testified in support of the bill. Questions followed.

The following individuals submitted a testimony card in support of the bill, but did not wish to speak:

Bob Kefgen, Director of Government Relations for Michigan Association of Secondary School Principals, and

Caroline Liethen, Legislative Liaison for the Michigan Department of Education.

The Chair laid before the committee House Bill 4084.

HB 4084 (Tedder) Education; teachers; reading disability diagnostics course requirement for professional certification; eliminate.

Representative Jim Tedder, the bill sponsor, explained the (H-1) substitute.

The Chair offered the (H-1) substitute for House Bill 4084.

Representative Lilly moved to adopt the substitute (H-1) for House Bill 4084.

The motion prevailed by an affirmative vote of a majority of the members appointed to and serving on the committee, voting as follows:

Yeas: Representatives Kelly, Hornberger, Crawford, Garcia, Roberts, Alexander, Griffin, Lilly, Noble, Reilly, Zemke, Brinks, Chang, Camilleri, and Sowerby, (15/15)

Nays: None. (0/15)

The substitute was adopted.

Representative Tedder explained the bill as amended. Questions followed.

Bob Kefgen, Director of Government Relations for Michigan Association of Secondary School Principals, submitted a testimony card in support, but did not wish to speak.

The Chair laid before the committee House Bill 5379.

HB 5379 (Hertel) Education; safety; possession and application of sunscreen at school; allow.

Representative Kevin Hertel, the bill sponsor, explained the bill, and introduced Madison Horton, who testified in support of the bill. Questions followed.

Dr. Henry W. Lim, MD, Chairman and Chief Surgeon Livingood Chair of the Department of Dermatology at Henry Ford Hospital, Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs at Henry Ford Health System, and President of the American Society of Dermatologic Surgeons, testified in support of the bill. Questions followed.

Dr. David Oberlin, a Resident in the Dermatology Residency Program at Henry Ford Hospital, testified in support of the bill. Questions followed.

The following individuals submitted a testimony card in support of the bill, but did not wish to speak:

Jennifer Smith, Director of Government Relations for Michigan Association of School Boards, and

Joshua Richmond, representing Michigan State Medical Society.

There being no other business before the committee; **Representative Reilly moved to adjourn the meeting.**

The motion prevailed, the time being 9:47 a.m.

The Chair declared the Committee adjourned.

Tim Kelly, Chair
House Standing Committee on Education Reform

Joy Brewer, Committee Clerk

Date approved by the committee